HASSAN DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEETING OF THE HASSAN DISTRICT BOARD, HELD ON MONDAY THE 3RD APRIL 1905.

PRESENT.

P. R. W. Wetherall, Esq., President.

Ex-Officio Members.

Mr. C. A. Mahadeva Sastri, B.A., B.C.E., etc., Executive Engineer.
„ K. Chandy, B.A., General Assistant Commissioner.
„ C. Appadurai Mudaliar, L.M.S., District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. W. L. Crawford.
„ M. Lakshmi Narasimha Iyengar.
„ Keni Mahadevappa.
„ S. Srikantaiya.
„ K. Thammaiya.
„ H. Dasappa.
„ Kencharaya Chetti.
„ Nanjanna.
Mr. G. Tirunaraniengar.
„ N. D. Venkataramaiya.
„ Suryanarayana Chetti.
„ Abdulla Sab.
„ Mallegowda.
„ Mahalingegowda.
„ Gowda Dharanaiya Chetti.

ABSENT.

Ex-Officio Members.

Mr. Syed Amir Hassan, Senior Assistant Commissioner, Saklespur.
„ B. Ramaswamaiya, B.A., B.L., Assistant Commissioner.
„ K. Tirumalachar, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hassan and Kadur Districts.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. Gurulingegowda.
„ Koneri Rama Chetti.
Mr. Habibulla Sab.

I. Read docket No. 514, dated 20th—22nd December 1904, from the Executive Engineer Hassan Division, regarding sinking of a well in the compound of the Dispensary at Saklespur.

Resolution.—Resolved that as the Saklespur Municipal Board would have to contribute a third of the cost of this work, the resolution of that Board be obtained as to necessity of the work.

II. Read docket No. 510, dated 18—19th December 1904, from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, regarding an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,830 for carrying out certain additions and alterations to the Female Dispensary at Hassan.

Resolution.—Resolved that there is no provision for the work this year, and that District Funds cannot afford to contribute a sum of Rs. 950 as a third of the cost of the work.

III. Read docket No. 5, dated 5th January 1905, from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, regarding claiming a share of the net realisations at the toll-gates established by the Coorg Government on the roads from Arkalgud and Manjarabad to Kudlipet.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Government of Mysore be moved to address the Coorg Government in the matter of granting a proportionate share of the net realisations of the two toll-gates on the Coorg frontiers of Arkalgud-Kudlipet-Manjarabad road, or to authorise the establishment of two corresponding toll-gates on the Mysore State frontiers of that road.

IV. Read docket No. 142, dated 16th March 1905, from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, *in re* a provision from the District Funds for clearing the Kalyani at Channarayapatna. Read also the General Assistant Commissioner's yadi No. 1802, dated 5th March 1905, on the subject.

Resolution.—Resolved that as Messrs. Tirunaraniengar and Nanjanna, District Board members of Channarayapatna Taluk, now state that they are personally aware that there is a subterranian stone and concrete water-course leading into the Kalyani, the Amildar be requested to have the same traced for the purpose of being repaired at a less cost than constructing a new one.

V. Read yadi No. 296—5, dated 8th March 1905, from the President of the District Board, Tumkur District, requesting to be informed whether the Hassan District Board is prepared to provide funds for a road from Honnavalli (in the Tiptur Taluk) to Halkur (in the Arsikere Taluk).

Resolution.—Resolved that the Board recognise the necessity for this cart-track and agree to undertake the portion of it which is within the Arsikere Taluk in due course. But as the Budget for 1905-06 has already been submitted to Government leaving only a working balance, this work will be provided for in the Budget of 1906-07.

VI. Read Memo No. 138 from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, regarding the construction of a culvert across the feeder channel to Chatchathalli Dyavappanahallikere in the Belur Taluk.

Resolution.—Resolved that the cost of Rs 500 for this work appears very heavy and that as the Dyavappanahalli raiyats are reported to have deposited a contribution of Rs. 100 towards the work, the Senior Assistant Commissioner be requested to inspect the same at an early date with a view to ascertaining whether a path could not be made by diversion over adjoining land which might be acquired at comparatively small cost.

VII. Read yadi No. 1590, dated 13th February 1905, from the General Assistant Commissioner, submitting a revised estimate for constructing a well at Metikere in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

Resolution.—Resolved that the revised estimate of Rs. 316 be sanctioned, thus providing an additional cost of Rs. 98.

VIII. Read Government Proceedings No. 7101-3—L. B. 344-96, dated 16th February 1905, regarding the opening of Vaidyasalas at Harnahalli and Grama.

Read yadi No. 7, dated 24th March 1905, from the Pandit in charge of the Indigenous Hospital at Mysore, stating that Lakshmipati Pandit may be appointed as a physician of one of the Vaidyasalas and that Pandits Rajappa and Shamanna are already employed, the former at Tarikere and the latter in the Indigenous Hospital at Mysore.

Read also a petition from Syed Ahamad, a Unani Hakim of Hassan, requesting to be appointed to one of the above two places as a Hakim.

Read also a petition from the people of Ambuga, etc., villages of the Grama hobli, Hassan Taluk, praying that one Pandit Lakshminarasimhachar who has been treating patients may be appointed as Pandit to the Vaidyasala at Grama.

Read also a petition from Pandit Lakshminarasimhachar praying for the said appointment.

Resolution.—Resolved that Lakshmipati Pandit be appointed for Grama in Hassan Taluk and Hakim Syed Ahamad for Harnahalli in Arsikere Taluk.

IX. Read Government Proceedings No. 7204—L. B. (267-04)-2, dated 17—18th February 1905, appointing Mr. Sahukar Gowda Dharanaiya Chetty of Sravanabelagola as a member of the District Board in place of his father Mr. Gowda Padma Chetty, resigned.

Resolution.—Recorded.

X. Read yadi No. 894—2194, dated 22nd March 1905, from the Senior Assistant Commissioner, Saklespur, submitting a revised estimate for sinking a well at Hanbal.

Resolution.—Resolved that under the circumstances represented, the revised estimate for Rs. 796 be submitted to Government for sanction, with a recommendation that the extra cost of Rs. 390 be met from next year's provision for incomplete works, as it is important that the work be not deferred now, as owing to heavy rainfall in the locality in the south-west monsoon, the sides of the well would fall in if the stone work be not done at once.

XI. Read letter No. 146, dated 19th March 1905, from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, regarding railing the sides of the road which runs over Janivara tank bund, Channarayapatna Taluk.

Resolution.—Resolved that considering the necessity of other works in Channarayapatna Taluk, and the paucity of District Funds, this expensive work may be considered when District Funds improve. The Board suggest that this work might be added to the list of village Famine Relief Works.

XII. Read docket No. 170, dated 25th March 1905, from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, enquiring whether the District Board is prepared to meet the quota of contribution towards the cost of flooring with Mangalore tiles the floors of certain Local Fund Dispensaries in the District.

Resolution.—Resolved that it will not be possible to provide a quota of one-third from the District Funds for flooring all the Dispensaries in the District with Mangalore tiles or Cuddapah slabs in one year, but the Board agree to provide for the cost of such work to two Dispensaries each year.

XIII. Read a list of furniture required for the use of the District Board President's office.

Resolution.—Resolved that the cost, *viz.*, Rs. 38½ (thirty-eight and a half) be sanctioned for purchasing the necessary articles of furniture (as per list read out) for the President's office.

XIV. (1) Read letter, dated 1st April 1905, from Mr. Gurulingegowda, District Board member, expressing his inability to attend the meeting on account of urgent private affairs.

(2) Read letter, dated 2nd April 1905, from Mr. Koneri Ramasetty stating that on account of his ill health he is unable to attend the meeting.

(3) Also read letters from Mr. Syed Amir Hassan, Senior Assistant Commissioner, Mr. B. Ramaswamaiya, Assistant Commissioner, and Mr. M. K. Tirumalachar Deputy Inspector of Schools, intimating their inability to attend the meeting owing to unavoidable circumstances.

Resolution.—Recorded.

P. R. W. WETHERALL, *President.*